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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

NORTH AMERICAN CAPACITY INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. C 03-5521 WDB

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

TURNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

The Court has reviewed, with some dissatisfaction, the submissions made by the parties in purported response to the Court's most recent Order, e-filed September 19, 2005. In particular, plaintiff's submission is clearly inadequate. It does <u>not</u> comply with the Court's Order.

I. Plaintiff's Mandatory Responsibilities

By November 2, 2005, plaintiff <u>must</u> e-file and serve a written submission which either (i) <u>identifies</u> the 'additional' actions in which Turner has been named, or (ii) must state that it has identified no additional actions in which Turner is involved and propose a date certain by which it will dismiss Turner from this lawsuit. The fact that one of Conco's attorneys is recovering from surgery does not excuse plaintiff from complying with this deadline.

Also by November 2, 2005, plaintiff must send a letter to counsel for Zurich American Insurance Company, copying the court, which clearly sets forth its position as to the applicability of the cross-liability exclusion as to East Bay Asian Land Development v.

James E. Roberts-Obayashi Corporation and Ron Smits v. William Lyon Homes. In its letter, 1 2 plaintiff must respond to the arguments made by Zurich in its August 10, 2005, 3 correspondence. It may not simply reattach the documentation it provided to Zurich in July of this year. 4 5 6 If plaintiff does not comply in full with the directives above, the Court will 7 conduct a hearing on November 30, 2005, at 3:30 p.m. at which PLAINTIFF and 8 PLAINTIFF'S COUNSEL must appear IN PERSON and SHOW CAUSE why (i) the 9 Court should not impose sanctions for plaintiff's failure to comply with this Order and 10 its Order filed September 19, 2005, (ii) the plaintiff should not be precluded from seeking relief as to any actions that it has not yet identified, and (iii) the Court should 11 12 not dismiss with prejudice plaintiff's claims against defendant Zurich American 13 Insurance Company as to East Bay Asian Land Development v. James E. Roberts-14 Obayashi Corporation and Ron Smits v. William Lyon Homes. 15 /// 16 /// 17 /// 18 **Defendant Roberts-Obayashi's Mandatory Responsibilities** II. 19 By November 2, 2005, defendant Roberts-Obayashi Corporation must set forth its 20 position as to whether the pending case of Roberts-Obayashi v. Acceptance Corporation, 21 Alameda County Case No. RG04150387, constitutes an additional action which must be addressed (via settlement negotiation, motion practice, or trial) prior to Roberts-Obayashi's 22 23 dismissal from this lawsuit. IT IS SO ORDERED. 24 Dated: October 11, 2005 /s/ Wayne D. Brazil 25 WAYNE D. BRAZIL United States Magistrate Judge 26 Copies to: Parties, WDB, stats. 27

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